GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services – APCS(Ex. Br) Rules - Smt. N. Seetha Mahalakshmi, the then Mandal Revenue Officer, Bhimavaram, now Deputy Collector – Irregularities committed in issuing D-Form pattas to the lands in Sy.No.143/12 etc., of Dirusumarru (V), Bheemavaram Mandal, West Godavari District – Disciplinary action initiated – Finalized - Imposing of withholding of one annual grade increment without cumulative effect- orders – Issued .

Revenue (Vigilance. I) Department

GO. Rt. No.843 **Dated :04.08.2016**

Read the following;

1. From the DG., V&E., Vigilance report No. 129(C.No. 984/V&E/D2/2006) Dt. 14.10.2010.
2. Govt. Memo. No. 51521/Vig.II(1)/2010, Dt. 18.11.2010.
3. From the Dist. Collector, West Godavari, Lr.Roc. No. 341/2011/D4, Dt. 18.11.2012.
4. Govt. Memo. No. 5200/Vig. III(1)/2013, dt. 01.08.2013.
5. From the Spl.CS & CCLA. AP. Hyd., Lr. No. VS I(1)/1718/2011, Dt. 30.07.2014.
6. GO.Rt. No. 822, Rev(Vig.I) Dept., Dt. 16.09.2014.
7. From Smt. N. Seetha Mahalakshmi, the then MRO, Bhimavaram, Spl. Dy. Collector, HPCL, Visakhapatnam, WSD Dt. 13.03.2015.
8. GO.Rt. No. 436, Rev(Vig.I) Dept., Dt. 16.05.2015.
9. From the Jt. Collector cum Enquiry Officer, W.G. Dist., Lr. Roc. No. 1172/VC/2011(A4), Dt. 09.03.2016.
10. Govt. Memo. No. 5200/Vig. III(1)/2013, dt. 23.05.2016.
11. Smt. N. Seetha Mahalakshmi, the then MRO, Bhimavaram, Spl. Dy. Collector, CA, VVSPL, HNPCL, Visakhapatnam, WSD Dt. 01.06.2016.

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ORDER

It has been brought to the notice of the Government that Smt. N. Seetha Mahalakshmi, Deputy Collector, while working as Mandal Revenue Officer, Bhimavaram (M) has granted fresh D-Form Pattas for the land covered by R.S.No.143/12, 481 to 494 & 530/4 of Dirusumarru (V), Bhimavaram (M) without following due procedure as per rules to the certain benami beneficiaries, beneficiaries of other villages and also without conducting proper enquiry. The Vigilance & Enforcement Department enquired into the above irregularities and submitted detailed report for taking further action.

2. Based on the report of the Vigilance & Enforcement Department, Disciplinary action was initiated against Smt. N. Seetha Mahalakshmi, the then MRO, Bhimavaram duly framing Article of Charges vide reference 6th read above calling for her written statement of defence. She submitted her written statement of defence vide reference 7th read above denying the charge framed against her. Since the written statement of defence was not convening, the Joint Collector, West Godavari was appointed as Inquiry Authority for conducting enquiry into the charges framed against the charged officer vide reference 8th read above and to submit the enquiry report.

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3. And whereas, the Joint Collector cum Inquiry Authority has conducted enquiry and submitted the enquiry report vide reference 9th read above, stating that the assignment pattas were issued to non-residents of Dirusumarru village and not following the due procedure, hence the charges framed against her are partially proved. In the reference 10th read above the Inquiry report was communicated to the charged officer calling for her explanations on the findings of the Inquiring Authority. The Charged Officer has submitted her explanation requesting for dropping of further action against her.

4. Government, after detailed examination of the matter, have decided to impose a minor penalty of withholding one annual grade increment without cumulative effect on Smt. N. Seetha Mahalakshmi, formerly Mandal Revenue Officer, Bhimavaram, presently working as Special Deputy Collector, L.A., HPCL Visakhapatnam for the charges held substantiated in the regular inquiry. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose a penalty of withholding one annual grade increment without cumulative effect on Smt. N. Seetha Mahalakshmi, formerly Mandal Revenue Officer, Bhimavaram, presently working as Special Deputy Collector, L.A., HPCL Visakhapatnam.

5. The Special Chief Secretary & Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP. Hyderabad shall take further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.C. SHARMA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Smt. N. Seetha Mahalakshmi, formerly MRO, Bhimavaram, presently working as Special Deputy Collector, L.A., HPCL Visakhapatnam.
(through the Special Chief Secretary & Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP. Hyderabad)
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The General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department,
BRKR Bhavan, Hyderabad.
The District Collector, West Godavari.
The District Collector, Visakhapatnam.
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